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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 7, line 63:

Replace with --sending, by the backbone, the packet through the second tunnel, to the second client,--

Column 8, line 67:

Replace with: --first tunnel, the backbone, and the second tunnel.--

Column 9, line 16:

Replace with: --the backbone, and the second tunnel.--

Column 10, line 42:

Replace with: --utilizing a common path defined by the first tunnel,--

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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